Introduction:

What do you want to be known for? If you could be known for only <u>one</u> thing, what would it be?

Spiritual Simplicity:	Breaking out of the	Silicon Valley Shuffle

- Why?
 - (1) Because anything minus love is ______.
 - (2) Because everything minus love is ______.
- Love is the supreme and ultimate test of success.
- 1 Corinthians 13 taught us how love responds to . . .
 - o Hurts 1 Corinthians 13:4
 - o Differences 1 Corinthians 13:4-5
 - o Failure 1 Corinthians 13:6-8
 - Misplaced Priorities
 1 Corinthians 13:9-13

We will never "do less" until we "_____ more."

- Progress report
- Your progress report?

Question: How can we gain and sustain spiritual simplicity?



2 Corinthians 5:14-21 How do you sustain spiritual simplicity? Get on board the Love Train! verses 20-21 a new role We get The Architect The Frequent Stops! We get a new responsibility verses 18-19 Got Your Ticket? new hope verse 17 We get The Conductor new eyes What's life like on the Love Train! We get verse 16 Its Destination Our life focus changes verse 15 The Engineer Its Tracks Christ's love compels us verse 14

How does it really work?

Α.	Jesus'	Command:	

> Love _____

> Love _____

These are the marks of a mature disciple.

B. The Profile of a Disciple - r12

- Surrendered
- Separate from the world
- > Sober self-assessment
- Serving in love
- Supernaturally responding to evil

C. The Practices to become an r12 Christian

> B _____ God

➤ I ___ Community

O ____ Mission 24/7

D. The Process that Ignites Life Change

"I'm all in!"

"You accepted me."

"God used me."

E. Phobias to Overcome

Fear of the future Fear of rejection Fear of failure



Spiritual Simplicity (Part 6)

Love Train – Get on Board! 2 Corinthians 5:14-21

A call to all - "Get on Board!"

James 1:19-27

Experiencing and	l exporting God	's love	e demands
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1.	We step	!
2.	We step	!
3.	We step	
4.	We step	
5.	We step	!

Discussion / Personal Application Questions:

- 1. Where did God speak to you today?
- 2. What specifically do you need to do to get on board the Love Train?
- 3. What new insight helped you understand how to receive God's love and stay connected to Him? Who can help you do that?
- 4. What new insight may help you share God's love with others? Who will help you do that?
- 5. Which of the 5 steps did you take today? Why?

